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In re Application of: Kevin E. Spaulding, et al

METHOD FOR REPRESENTING A DIGITAL COLOR IMAGE USING A SET OF PALETTE COLORS

Serial No. 09/900,565

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Amendment

In response to the Office Action mailed July 9, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows, without prejudice.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.